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GRACEFUL, INTRIGUING CACTUS DAHLIAS

## DAHLIA TUBERS

Our Top Quality Dahlia Tubers are all correctly named, each being individually labeled. They are carefully divided so that each Tuber has a live bud or eye. These large excellent quality Tubers will give wonderful results.

Descriptions and Prices on Page 2

*Wholesale Only*

**DAVIDS & ROYSTON BULB CO.**

INCORPORATED

824 WALL STREET

LOS ANGELES 14, CALIFORNIA

PHONES TUCKER 1625 • VANDIKE 4774



# "Califlora" BEGONIAS-TUBEROUS ROOTED

California grown bulbs. Delivery January to April, Inclusive.

Our Superior strain of Tuberous Rooted Begonias is, without question, the finest to be had. It is the result of many years of experimentation and selection. Strong growing tubers producing huge, magnificent flowers of perfect form carried erect on strong stems.

## TYPES AND COLORS:

**GIANT CAMELLIA DOUBLE.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Flame Orange, Blush, Crimson-rose, American Beauty, Cardinal Red, Dark Salmon, Light Salmon, and Mixed colors.

**GIANT FIMBRIATA (RUFFLED CAMELLIA).** Same color selections as Camellia.

**GIANT FRILLED.** White, Yellow, Rose, Pink, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet, Dark Red, Apricot, Fascination (light pink to white with frilled border shading from rose to light red), and Mixed colors.

**LLOYDII** (Hanging-basket type). White, Pink, Rose, Salmon, Yellow, Orange, Scarlet, and Mixed colors.

**DOUBLE PICOTEE.** (This variety has darker edge of same color.) Salmon, Rose, Apricot, Red, and Mixed colors.

Prices—All varieties and colors:

		100	1000
1-1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "	Diameter.....	\$ 6.00	\$ 55.00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ -1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Diameter.....	8.50	80.00
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2"	Diameter.....	14.00	135.00
2-2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Diameter.....	17.50	170.00

Orders for less than 25 of a color take 100 rate plus 10%.

**MULTIFLORA TYPE TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS FROM BELGIUM.** Excellent pot plants. Bushy, with many flowers. Available in an excellent strain. Separate colors of Yellow, Orange, Salmon, and Scarlet. Also Mixed colors.

Size 1-2" Diameter..... \$15.00 per 100; \$147.50 per 1000

All Bulbs 250 at the 1000 Rate

## DAHLIA TUBERS

February to April Delivery

Reliable correctly named Tubers, each individually labeled. Excellent quality. Carefully divided so that each Tuber has a live bud or eye.

### LARGE FLOWERING DECORATIVE TYPES

F.O.B. Portland, Oregon	Per 100
25 or more of a variety	\$23.00
Less than 25 of a variety	\$25.00

#### RED SHADES

**GALLANT FOX.** ID. Rich Ruby Red. Prolific Bloomer.

**MRS. GEO. LE BOUTILLIER.** ID. Huge Cardinal Red.

**HIKAN.** FD. Bright Red Blooms—Tall Bush.

#### WHITE SHADES

**JEAN KERR.** FD. White Flowers on Tall Bush.

**SNOWSTORM.** FD. Snow White—Good for Cutting.

#### PINK SHADES

**CLARA CARDER.** ID. Huge Cyclamen Pink.

**PREMIER'S WINSOME.** FD. Light Pink. Blooms to 12".

**ROSE GLORY.** FD. True Rose Pink.

**SALMON RADIANCE.** FD. Large Clear Salmon Pink.

#### LAVENDER SHADES

**BLUE RIVER.** FD. Exhibition Silvery Lavender.

**CROYDON LILAC.** FD. Wonderful True Lilac.

**AZURA.** ID. Huge Clear Lilac.

#### YELLOW SHADES

**GOLDEN ECLIPSE.** FD. Rich Golden Yellow.

**HERBERT LEWIS.** ID. Very Large Bright Yellow.

**NAGEL'S SUPERB.** ID. Large Primrose Yellow.

#### BRONZE SHADES

**JANE COWL.** ID. Popular Giant Bronze.

**GOLDEN RAYS.** FD. Light Golden Orange.

**SHERWOODS PEACH.** FD. Rich Clear Peach.

#### PURPLE SHADES

**TAIHEYO.** ID. Largest Purple Dahlia.

**DUTCH PURPLE.** FD. Free Flowering Purple.

#### BI-COLORS

**WANDA MEADE.** ID. Bright Red, White Tips.

**BALLEGO'S GLORY.** FD. Rich Mahogany, Gold Lining.

**FLORISTS BEAUTY.** ID. Purple Tipped White.

**DUTCH RED & WHITE.** FD. Low Growing Red and White.

### CACTUS TYPE

F.O.B. Portland, Oregon	Per 100
25 or more of a variety	\$25.00
Less than 25 of a variety	\$27.50

#### LARGE FLOWERING CACTUS

**ATOMIC.** New Fine White.

**PINK GIANT.** Exhibition Clear Pink.

**YELLOW SPIRAL.** Artistic Deep Yellow.

**DUTCH SALMON PINK.** Salmon Pink, Profuse Bloomer.

**JEAN TRIMBEE.** Rich Violet Purple.

**ZENITH.** Majenta, Silver Reverse.

**CASPER LUDWIG'S MEMORY.** New Blood-red. \$45.00 per 100

#### MINIATURE CACTUS

**ANDRIE'S.** Golden Orange.

**ANIMATO.** Radiant Rose-pink.

**FIDUCIE.** Beautiful Bronze.

**HONSHU GEM.** Excellent Yellow.

**PINK LADY.** Exhibition, Clear Light Pink.

**ROYALTY.** White Base, Overlaid with Amethyst.

**UNION.** Dainty soft lavender.

### MINIATURE DECORATIVE AND BALL TYPE

F.O.B. Portland, Oregon	Per 100
25 or more of a variety	\$18.00
Less than 25 of a variety	\$20.00

#### MINIATURE DECORATIVE

**IKE.** Free Blooming, Blood Red.

**LILY BELLE.** Delicate Light Satin-Pink.

**WHITE FAWN.** Beautiful Clear White.

**PURPLE QUEEN.** Rich, Royal Purple, Tipped White.

**LITTLE SISTER.** Bright Red and White.

#### BALL OR SHOW TYPE

**CHARLOTTE CALDWELL.** Bright Clear Orange.

**DAINTIBALL.** Rosy Lavender. Excellent.

**RED CHIEF.** Startling Bright Red.

**CALIFORNIA SCARLET.** Brilliant Scarlet.

**TIPPY.** Rich Golden Yellow.

### POMPON TYPE

F.O.B. Portland, Oregon	Per 100
25 or more of a variety	\$18.00
Less than 25 of a variety	\$20.00

#### RED SHADES

**ALICE.** Bright Red.

**DORIA.** Very Dark Maroon.

**PURPLE GEM.** Fine, Deep, Dark Red.

#### BRONZE SHADES

**AMBER QUEEN.** Rich, Amber Bronze.

**RED EYE.** Gold with a Red Eye.

**ALL BRIGHT.** Brilliant Orange Red.

#### PINK SHADES

**HAZEL DELL.** Light Pink, Very Popular.

**BETTY ANN.** Very Delicate Pink.

**HELEN ANITA.** Lavender Pink, with White Dot.

#### LAVENDER SHADES

**MARY MUNNS.** Orchid Lavender.

**PATRICIA K.** Light Lavender, Dark Edge.

**MORNING MIST.** White Orchid Blush.

#### WHITE SHADES

**JOE FETTE.** Best White Pompon.

**CELESTIA.** Tiny, Pure White.

**LAURIE.** Soft Cream.

#### YELLOW SHADES

**YELLOW GEM.** Canary Yellow.

#### PURPLE SHADES

**LIBBY ROHR.** Wine Purple.

**TAKAS PURPLE.** Royal Purple.

### WATERLILY TYPE

F.O.B. Portland, Oregon	Per 100
25 or more of a variety	\$25.00
Less than 25 of a variety	\$27.50

**JERRY HOEK.** Rich Clear Pink, Shadings of Yellow in Center.

**GLORY OF HEEMSTEDE.** Bright Yellow, New.

**HELLY BOUDEWIJN.** Clear White.



# "Califlora" GLADIOLUS

We supply only the **Finest Quality High Crown** bulbs grown in one or two years from bulblets. Treated against thrip. The same kind of bulbs the commercial grower plants, and are **not** those worn out bulbs, often quite large in size, that he discards and sells at bargain prices to dealers who usually package them to sell at cheap prices. Prices F.O.B. Los Angeles, California.

	Size Diameter	No. 1 1½"-up
<b>RED SHADES</b>	100	1000
JO WAGENAAR	Deep Crimson Red with Velvet Shading.....	\$4.00 \$35.00
RED CHARM	Charming Large Flowering Clear Bright Scarlet.....	4.30 38.00
RED WING	Finest Bright Scarlet, Immense Flowers.....	5.00 45.00
VALERIA	Large Fiery Red, Slightly Ruffled.....	4.30 38.00
<b>LAVENDER, BLUE AND PURPLE SHADES</b>		
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN	Exquisite Heavily Ruffled Clear Lavender.....	4.00 35.00
RAVEL	Large, Medium Violet Blue.....	4.30 38.00
SHERWOOD	Beautiful Ruffled Deep Royal Purple.....	4.30 38.00
<b>PINK AND ROSE SHADES</b>		
BURMA	Heavily Ruffled Deep Rose.....	4.00 35.00
CHAMOUNY	Beautiful Bright Rose with Silver Edge.....	4.00 35.00
ETHEL CAVE COLE	Large Popular Light Pink.....	4.00 35.00
LEEUEWENHORST	Huge Deep Warm Pink, Very Popular.....	4.00 35.00
MISS WISCONSIN	Pretty Shade of Bright Rose.....	4.30 38.00
MOTHER MACHREE	Nice Smokey Rose.....	4.30 38.00
PHANTOM BEAUTY	Sensational Clear Light Pink, New.....	4.00 35.00
ROSA VAN LIMA	Beautiful Bright Pink, Lighter Throat.....	4.00 35.00
<b>SALMON AND ORANGE SHADES</b>		
PEACH GOLD	Clear Ornage Salmo nwith Yellow Throat, Ruffled.....	4.30 38.00
PICARDY	Beautiful Apricot Salmon, Very Popular Variety.....	4.00 35.00
POLYNESIAE	Promising New Salmon-orange, Slightly Ruffled.....	4.00 35.00
SPIC & SPAN	Heavily Ruffled Bright Salmon Pink, Large.....	4.50 40.00
<b>WHITE SHADES</b>		
ALASKA	Finest Pure White, Large Flower.....	4.30 38.00
FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE	Wonderful Large Ruffled Pure White.....	4.30 38.00
LEADING LADY	Popular Large Cream White, Ruffled.....	4.00 35.00
MARGARET BEATON	Huge Glistening White, Brilliant Scarlet Throat.....	4.30 38.00
SNOW PRINCESS	Large Commercial White, Cream Throat, Early.....	4.00 35.00
WHITE GODDESS	New Heavily Ruffled White, Cream Throat, Large.....	4.50 40.00
<b>YELLOW SHADES</b>		
AUREOLE	Large Rich Golden Yellow, Ruffled, Tall.....	4.30 38.00
HOPMANS GLORY	Very Fine Tall Clear Yellow.....	4.30 38.00
LADY JANE	Fine Commercial Light Yellow.....	4.00 35.00
SPOTLIGHT	Rich Clear Yellow, Bright Scarlet Throat.....	4.50 40.00
<b>"CALIFLORA" MIXTURE</b>	Carefully Blended Mixture of New and Standard Varieties producing Magnificent Flowers your Customers will be proud of.....	4.00 35.00

NOTICE: ORDER 250 OR MORE OF A VARIETY TO GET THE 1000 RATE.

## GLOXINIAS

January to April delivery. Following varieties, or mixed.

BLANCHE DE MERU. Rose. White Throat.  
 EMPEROR FREDERICK. Scarlet. White Border.  
 EMPEROR WILLIAM. Violet. White Border.  
 ETOILE DE FEU. Scarlet. Plane.  
 MOUNT BLANC. Pure White.  
 PRINCE ALBERT. Dark Violet with Frilled Edge.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH. Blue with White Throat.  
 ROI DES ROUGES. Dark Crimson with Frilled Edge.  
 TIGRINA (Spotted and Netted). Shades from Light Rose to  
 Dark Lavender.  
 VIOLACEA. Soft Violet, Plane.

CALIFORNIA GROWN	100	1000
1¼-1½" Diameter	\$15.00	\$145.00
1½-2" Diameter	20.00	195.00
2" up Diameter	29.00	285.00

BELCIAN CROWN	100	1000
Delivery about December 15th.	100	1000
1½-2" Diameter	\$16.00	\$150.00

## CANNAS

January to April Delivery

Strong, heavy roots: \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000

AMBASSADOR. Dark Red. Green Foliage. Low Growing.  
 CITY OF PORTLAND. Large Beautiful Clear Pink. Green  
 Foliage. Medium Height.  
 EUREKA. White. Green Foliage. Medium Height.  
 HUNGARIA. Pink. Green Foliage. Low Growing.  
 RED KING HUMBERT. Bright Red. Bronze Foliage. Tall.  
 Growing.

RICHARD WALLACE. Yellow. Green Foliage. Low Growing.  
 THE PRESIDENT. Bright Red. Green Foliage. Low Growing.  
 WYOMING. Orange-red. Bronze Foliage. Low Growing.  
 YELLOW KING HUMBERT. Yellow Flowers with Red Spots.  
 Green Foliage. Tall.



## "Califlora" CALADIUM — Fancy Leaf

January to June delivery. After long experience in growing these in the greenhouse we have selected ten of the most attractive varieties, of contrasting colors and characteristics. In addition to these we can supply any other popular variety. If planted in January will produce salable plants for Easter.

**CANDIDUM.** Snow-white with Green Veins and Network. Narrow Green Border. Fine Easter Variety.  
**STOPLIGHT.** Center of Leaf Shining Crimson with Slight Bluish Tint. Narrow Green Border. Strong Grower.  
**ITACAPUS.** Entire Leaf Dark Red of a Rust Shade: Narrow Border with Red Dottings. One of the most beautiful Caladiums.  
**JOHN PEED.** Bold Plant with Many Leaves. Center Transparent Cherry-red. Light Green Margin.  
**LORD DERBY.** Delicate Transparent Rose with Dark Green Ribs and Narrow Green Edge. Abundant Foliage.  
**MACAHYBA.** Dark Moss Green Profusely Spotted and Mottled with Transparent Lilac Blotches. Heavy Scarlet Ribs.  
**THOMAS TOMLINSON.** Bright Crimson Center and Blotches; Narrow Green Edge. Makes many leaves.  
**MRS. W. B. HALDEMAN.** Glowing Bright Pink with Narrow Green Edge. Varies to a Deep Pink according to soil used.  
**POECILE ANGLAIS.** Dwarf, Many Leaved Type with Wavy Leaves of Deep Crimson having a Bluish Overcast and Bordered Metallic Green. One of the best.  
**MRS. SANDER.** Roundish Dark Green Leaf, Heavily Blotched. Transparent Deep Rose.

			F.O.B. Los Angeles		F.O.B. Florida	
			100	1000	100	1000
No. 1	1½-2"	Diameter.....	\$20.00	\$180.00	\$15.00	\$140.00
Jumbo	2½-3½"	Diameter.....	36.00	340.00	30.00	275.00
Mammoth	3½-5"	Diameter.....	52.00	500.00	45.00	425.00

Orders of less than 25 of a variety take the hundred rate plus 10%.

## YELLOW CALLA

(Elliottiana.) November to March delivery.

Beautiful Golden-yellow. Bright Green Leaves with perforations that have the appearance of spots. Fine for pot culture.

		100	1000
1¾-2"	Diameter.....	\$12.00	\$110.00
2-2½"	Diameter.....	16.00	150.00
2½-3"	Diameter.....	30.00	290.00

## GERBERA (Transvaal Daisy) — "Califlora" Hybrids

January to May delivery. Superior strain of Giant Single and Duplex types. Wide open flowers in a well-blended mixture of brilliant colors, predominating Salmon, Orange, Red and Pink shades.

Large two to four eye root divisions.....	100	1000
Nice one to two eye root divisions.....	\$18.50	\$175.00
	11.00	100.00

## DAISIES

January to March Delivery

Bloom profusely all Spring, Summer, and until late Fall if flowers are kept cut. Fine florists cut flower and to plant in pot or gallon cans for nursery use. Large rooted divisions.

ESTHER READ. Fine large Pure White, completely double.....	100	1000
GRAND MARCONI. Pure White double Chrysanthemum-like Flowers on 2½-foot stems. Tall.....	\$ 7.50	\$ 70.00
MAJESTIC. Duplex type, very popular.....	7.50	70.00
MURIEL. New large duplex. Short growth.....	10.50	100.00
	7.50	70.00

## LILIES

Following Lilies grown in Japan. 8-9" size, 200 per case. 9-10" size, 150 per case, at 1000 rate.

	8-9"		9-10"	
	100	1000	100	1000
AURATUM (Gold Band Lily). White. Gold Rayed. Crimson Spots.....	\$20.00	\$180.00	\$25.00	\$230.00
RUBURUM (Speciosum Rubrum). Carmine Pink on White. Carmine Spots.....	16.00	140.00	21.00	190.00
TIGRINUM (Tiger Lily). Orange-red, Spotted Purple. Reflex.....	16.00	140.00	21.00	190.00
REGALE. Oregon Grown. 7-8" size only \$14.50 per 100, \$135.00 per 1000.				

## RANUNCULUS "TECOLOTE GIANTS" AND ANEMONES

For Western Oregon and Washington, February and March is the best time for planting. Following sizes still available in Mixture and Separate colors. See our 1953 Fall price list for prices.

RANUNCULUS.....	Diameter ¾-7/8"
ANEMONES.....	Diameter ½-5/8" and ¾-1½"

## SPREKELIA FORMOSISSIMA (Aztec Lily)

December to March Delivery

Beautiful Deep Red Orchid-shaped Flower. Leaves Dark Green, sword-shaped.

		100	1000
Mammoth	2¼"-up Diameter.....	\$35.00	\$345.00
Jumbo	1¾-2¼" Diameter.....	25.00	245.00
Tops	1½-1¾" Diameter.....	22.50	220.00

## TIGRIDIA — "Califlora" Hybrids

February to April Delivery

Well blended mixture of all colors, and separate colors as follows: Bright Red, Wine Red, Rose, Deep Rose, White, Peach, Cream and Yellow.

¾"-up Diameter.....	100	1000
1"-up Diameter.....	\$4.00	\$35.00
	5.50	50.00

## TUBEROSES

January to April Delivery

DOUBLE PEARL. Tops.....	100	1000
DOUBLE PEARL. Jumbo.....	\$7.50	\$70.00
SINGLE MEXICAN. Sweet-scented. 4 to 6 inch Cir.....	9.50	90.00

OPEN

## LILY OF THE VALLEY

Delivery after January 15th

DOMESTIC  
Nice large Northwest grown. Blooming size. (Not suitable for greenhouse forcing.)

PRICES ..... 25 Pips for \$1.75    50 Pips for \$3.00    100 Pips for \$5.50    250 or more, \$50.00 per 1000

## IMPORTED—RESELECTED GERMAN FORCING PIPS

PRICES ..... 25 Pips for \$3.00    50 Pips for \$5.50    100 Pips for \$10.50    250 or more, \$100.00 per 1000